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In re the Application of:

Sumiyo OKADA et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2172

Confirmation No. 5407

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Examiner: Chongshan Chen

For:

DYNAMIC DETERMINATION OF KEYWORD AND DEGREE OF IMPORTANCE THEREOF IN SYSTEM FOR TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING MESSAGES

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Sir:

This is an amendment being filed with a Request for Continued Examination, wherein the final rejection office action has a period for response set to expire on January 3, 2004. A petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to February 3, 2004.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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